



October 2000

WHAS'UP?



Homecoming Tailgate Party

Join the fun at Golden Eagle Park the night of the Homecoming game between Fountain Hills and River Valley. Starting at 4:30 PM, the Parks and Recreation Department will be providing a DJ, face painting, food and refreshments, and more! There will be contests with prizes to be given away. The High School Cheer Team will also be there to get the crowd fired up for the big game! The festivities are open to anyone who wishes to help support our team.

Where: Saguaro Ramada, Golden Eagle Park
 Date: Friday, October 20, 2000
 Times: 4:30 PM – 7:00 PM
 Ages: All ages welcome
 Fee: \$1 Hot dog and soda combo
 Contact: James Cunningham, 816-5173

Ultimate Scavenger Hunt

As part of the Homecoming Week festivities, the Parks and Recreation Department will be hosting the first annual Ultimate Scavenger Hunt! This competition is open to high school and jr. high students in Fountain Hills. Teams of four, plus one adult driver, will try their best to get all of the items that are on the list. Prizes will be given away to the top three scoring teams. T-shirts will also be given to each team member. For more information about this exciting program, call Corey at 816-5170.



Where: Kiwanis Building, 16897 Kiwanis Drive
 Date: October 17, 2000
 Times: 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM
 Ages: Jr. High and High school students
 Fee: \$20/ Team
 Contact: Corey Hromek, 816-5170



Check out the Parks and Rec Website at
www.ci.fountain-hills.az.us/ParksRec/index.htm

Halloween Carnival

Four Peaks Neighborhood Park is the place to be this Halloween! Take part in the festivities, as there will be plenty of games, prizes and of course, candy! The fun starts at 6 PM and lasts until 9 PM. The Carnival is open to kids and parents of all ages! We are also looking for volunteers to help staff the event. For more info call Corey at 816-5170.



Where: Four Peaks Neighborhood Park
Date: Tuesday, October 31st, 2000
Times: 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM
Ages: All ages welcome
Fee: Ticket prices vary with purchase
Contact: Corey Hromek, 816-5170

Photography Club

Do you enjoy using camera equipment? Are you interested in photography and would like to learn more? With the Parks and Recreation Department's new Photography Club, students will get a chance to shoot some pictures or videos from which they can really benefit. Students in the Club will go on trips around the valley, state and maybe across the country! Some students will get the opportunity to have their work used for certain publications and displayed on the Internet, while receiving recognition for their photos. The Club will also work with groups of similar interest around Town.

Ages: Grades 9-12
Fee: \$45 / 4 week session
Contact: Corey Hromek, 816-5170



Teen Adventure Series

The Parks and Recreation Department is offering a trip for a vanload of kids to Flagstaff for a day at their skate park! The van will leave Town Hall on Saturday, October 7 at 9:00 AM, and should return by 7:00 PM. Kids will skate at the facility for a couple hours and stop for lunch before the ride home. Space is limited so sign up early!

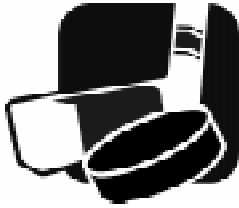


Where: Bushmaster Park in Flagstaff, AZ
Date: Saturday, October 7th, 2000
Times: 9:00 AM – 7:00 PM
Ages: 11 – 18 years old
Fee: \$5/ participant
Contact: Corey Hromek, 816-5170



Pro Sports Excursions

It's that time of year again-hockey season! Join the Parks and Recreation Department on a trip to America West Arena to witness the Phoenix Coyotes take on one of their biggest rivals, the Dallas Stars. Don't miss Wayne Gretzky's Coyotes as they show Dallas who the real stars are here in the valley! Tickets are limited, so don't delay!



Where: America West Arena
Dates: Friday, November 3rd, 2000
Times: 5:30 PM – 10:30 PM
Ages: 11& up
Fee: \$15/person
Contact: Corey Hromek, 816-5170



Dance Classes

Coming up for all of you dancers out there ages 11-18, Club Mirage and the Parks and Recreation Department will be working together to offer the best that tap, jazz, hip hop or ballet have to offer. The classes will run for six weeks, several times throughout the year. Classes are available to beginning and advanced dancers.

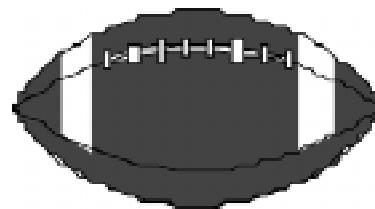
Where: Club Mirage
Dates: Saturdays, October 14th – November 18th, 2000
Times: 12:00 PM -1:00 PM / 1:00 PM -2:00 PM
Ages: Grades 1-4 / 5-8
Fee: \$24/ participant
Contact: Corey Hromek, 816-5170



Punt, Pass & Kick

Come out to Four Peaks Neighborhood Park to test your skills and compete in the NFL's Punt, Pass & Kick contest. This program is for boys and girls and qualifiers will move on to compete in the Regional Competition.

Where: Four Peaks Neighborhood Park
Time: 3:30 PM
Date: Friday, October 6th, 2000
Ages: Boys & Girls 8-15 years old
Fee: FREE
Contact: Brent Bitterman, 816-5142



MYC Update

The 2000-2001 Mayor's Youth Council is off to a great start this year! The Council's first meeting took place on August 30th, with over 30 people in attendance. Since then the Council has met two more times, with the election of officers taking place at the latter of the two meetings. Students elected to the offices are as follows: Chairman - **Kate Hunkler**, Vice-chair - **Katie Miskell**, Secretary - **Tricia Severson**, Points Commissioner - **Kenneth Hansen**. These four students will hold these offices for the rest of the year and will perform the duties they are responsible for.

One such duty will be to represent the Town of Fountain Hills' youth at the National League of Cities Conference in Boston. While attending this Conference students will attend workshops, meet with elected officials and network with other youth delegates from around the country. Upon returning these students will be presenting a report to the Town Council and Mayor about their trip and what they learned.

If you are interested in learning more about the Mayor's Youth Council, or would like information on how to join, please call Corey at 816-5170. Applications are also available at Town Hall in Building A.

Coming Events

There is always a number of programs looming in the near future that are sure to be of interest to the youth of Fountain Hills. Here is a short list of what is to come in the next couple months.

Flagstaff Skate Park Trip	10/7/00
Ultimate Scavenger Hunt	10/17/00
Homecoming Tailgate Party	10/20/00
Halloween Carnival	10/31/00
Pro Sports Excursion	11/3/00
10th Annual Turkey Trot	11/23/00

If you have any suggestions for future programs, please email Corey at chromek@ci.fountain-hills.az.us.



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